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SUBJECT: CSCE: PAPER ON ORGANIZATION OF THE CONFERENCE

1. BEGIN SUMMARY. AT BRIEF MEETING OF WORKING GROUP MAY 16,
POLISH AMBASSADOR WILLMAN ON BEHALF OF INFORMAL DRAFTING GROUP

PRESENTED TEXT OF PAPER ON ORGANIZATION OF CSCE. WILLMAN NOTED
INABILITY OF INFORMAL GROUP AGREE ON LEVEL OF THIRD STAGE AND
SAID THAT INFORMAL GROUP WOULD CONTINUE EXAMINATION OF THIS
QUESTION. LATEST VERSION OF PAPER (TEXT BELOW) DOES NOT DIFFER
SUBSTANTIALLY FROM TEXT REFTEL. END SUMMARY.

2. ALTHOUGH CHANGES MADE IN PAPER SINCE MAY 3 MEETING (REFTEL)
ARE LARGELY ONES OF NUANCE, THEY APPEAR TO: (A) TIE WORK OF
FIRST MINISTERIAL MORE CLOSELY TO MPT DECISIONS; AND (B) RECOG-
NIZE MINISTERIAL ROLE IN DETERMINING CONTENT OF STAGE TWO DIS-
CUSSION. INFORMAL GROUP' S INABILITY AGREE ON LEVEL FINAL STAGE
WAS RESULT OF CONTINUED SOVIET INSISTENCE THAT MPT AGREE TO
" HIGHEST LEVEL " MEETING. SOVIETS HERE EXPECT THEY WILL BE ABLE
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TO ACCEPT AN AMBIGUOUS DESCRIPTION OF FINAL STAGE NEAR END OF
MPT, I. E., ALONG LINES PROPOSED BY FRENCH (REFTEL).

3. TEXT OF INFORMAL GROUP' S PAPER AS FOLLOWS:

BEGIN TEXT:

DRAFT OF CHAPTER
OF THE FINAL RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE CONSULTATIONS
CONCERNING THE ORGANIZATION OF THE CSCE.

1. ORGANIZATION OF THE CONFERENCE

THE CONFERENCE ON SECURITY AND CO- OPERATION IN EUROPE WILL
TAKE PLACE IN THREE STAGES:

(A) STAGE I

THE FIRST STAGE WILL CONSIST OF A MEETING OF THE MINISTERS FOR
FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE PARTICIPATING STATES. IN ACCORDANCE
WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE HELSINKI CONSULTATIONS, THE
MINISTERS WILL ADOPT THE RULES OF PROCEDURE, THE AGENDA AND THE
INSTRUCTIONS OF THE WORKING BODIES OF THE CONFERENCE, TO-
GETHER WITH THE OTHER ARRANGEMECQS RELATING TO THE CONDUCT
OF THE CONFERENCE. THE MINISTERS WILL STATE THE VIEWS OF
THEIR GOVERNMENTS ON THE PROBLEMS RELATING TO SECURITY AND CO-
OPERATION IN EUROPE. SHOULD THEY SO WISH THEY WILL PUT FORWARD,
FOR CONSIDERATION IN THE COURSE OF THE SECOND STAGE, PROPOSALS
RELATING TO THE VARIOUS TOPICS ON THE AGENDA.

(B) STAGE II

THE SECOND STAGE WILL COMPRISE THE WORK OF THE SPECIALIZED
COMMITTEES AND SUB- COMMITTEES WHOSE INSTRUCTIONS ARE DEFINED
IN CHAPTER 2 OF THESE RECOMMENDATIONS. WITHIN THIS FRAMEWORK
AND ON THE BASIS OF THE PROPOSALS SUBMITTED EITHER BY THE
MINISTERS FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS, OR SUBSEQUENTLY BY THE DELE-
GATIONS OF THE PARTICIPATING STATES, THE COMMITTEES AND
SUB- COMMITTEES WILL PREPARE DRAFTS OF RECOMMENDATIONS,
RESOLUTIONS, DECLARATIONS OR ANY OTHER FINAL DOCUMENT S.

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A CO- ORDINATING COMMITTEE, COMPOSED OF REPRESENTATIVES
APPOINTED BY THE MINISTERS FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS, WILL MEET
PERIODICALLY DURING THE SECOND STAGE OF THE CONFERENCE. IT
WILL CO- ORDINATE THE ACTIVITIES OF THE COMMITTEES AND ASSEMBLE
THE RESULTS OF THEIR WORK WITH A IEW TO THE FINAL STAGE OF
THE CONFERENCE. IT WILL SUBMIT TO THE PARTICIPATING GOVERNMENTS
SUCH RECOMMENDATIONS AS IT MAY CONSIDER USEFUL REGARDING THE

CONDUCT OF THE CONFERENCE, ESPECIALLY THE ORGANIZATION OF ITS
THIRD STAGE.

(C) STAGE III

IN THE LIGHT OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS DRAWN UP BY THE
CO- ORDINATING COMMITTEE, THE CONFERENCE WILL MEET, FOR ITS
THIRD STAGE (QUESTION OF THE LEVEL).

THE CONFERENCE WILL ADOPT ITS FINAL DOCUMENTS, IN FORMAL
SESSION, AT THE CLOSE OF THIS THIRD STAGE.

END TEXT.

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